

**1** In each sentence below, put the verb in brackets into the Present Continuous, Present Simple, or Present Perfect. In each sequence, use each tense once only.

- 1 I \_\_\_\_\_ (just cut) myself and I \_\_\_\_\_ (bleed) a lot. It really \_\_\_\_\_ (hurt).
- 2 I don't think he \_\_\_\_\_ (have) any broken limbs, but he \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a nasty shock, which is why his blood pressure \_\_\_\_\_ (go) down.
- 3 I \_\_\_\_\_ (get) this dull ache in my back. I think I \_\_\_\_\_ (twist) myself somehow in my sleep and nothing \_\_\_\_\_ (seem) to relieve it.
- 4 Jeremy \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) solid foods now. Normally he \_\_\_\_\_ (not have) much for breakfast, but he \_\_\_\_\_ (not leave) cereal and toast and fruit on his tray today.
- 5 The wound \_\_\_\_\_ (heal) really well, even though you \_\_\_\_\_ (slash) your arm badly. It \_\_\_\_\_ (look) really clean.
- 6 I \_\_\_\_\_ (remove) the sling and he \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) fine, but he still \_\_\_\_\_ (need) to be careful.
- 7 \_\_\_\_\_ I \_\_\_\_\_ (recover) completely? Well, the consultant \_\_\_\_\_ (think) it's OK for me to go home, so I \_\_\_\_\_ (wait) for someone to come and collect me.

**2** In each sentence, there is one word missing. Complete the sentences.

- 1 If your foot still hurting you in a couple of days, don't ring, just come back and see us.
- 2 If this happens again, straight here so we can check you out.
- 3 If your toe swells up again, don't hesitate to come see us again.
- 4 You need take him to your GP if you have the slightest concern.
- 5 You're going have to stay in for another 24 hours, if the tests don't give the all-clear.
- 6 Don't wait. Just come straight in and see if the medicine causes you any problems.
- 7 If your foot discoloured, try to keep it up as much as you can.
- 8 You need come back and see us if anything unusual happens.

**3** Persuade the patient in the following sentences using your own words.

- 1 If you get any circulation problems like pins and needles, \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 If his leg swells in the plaster cast, \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 If the pain doesn't go or if it gets worse in any way, \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 If your hand becomes ..., \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 If the stocking is too tight, \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 If your hand becomes paralysed, \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 If you get any stiffness in the shoulder, \_\_\_\_\_
- 8 If the bandage comes off, \_\_\_\_\_